

It's never been easier to get involved in such a Clever, Creative Competition.

The Murrindindi Beanie & Fibre Festival is a Not For Profit community event. There are many ways that you, your school or community group can join in the fun of this fabulous, fibre arts festival & market. Open to anyone to participate, you can support our community by creating a beanie, some winter warmers or fibre art & donating to our fabulous Beanie Fest. **Entry is free.** 

The Murrindindi Beanie & Fibre Festival has something for all who love to create. One can browse the competition entries, or the many stalls to shop for unique handmade goods in our marketplace.

Set among the rolling green hills of Alexandra, there are plenty of beanies, winter warmers & fibre arts for sale. Money raised goes towards local projects & charities within the Shire of Murrindindi, including yearly support of Alexandra Rotary providing wood for the elderly & disadvantaged.

The Murrindindi Beanie & Fibre Festival would like to thank all our sponsors & supporters throughout the Shire of Murrindindi.



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# The Murrindindi Beanie & Fibre Festival

Online Auction 19th-24th July (ends 3pm) & Competition

23rd-24th July 2022 Alexandra Shire Hall, 55 Grant St, Alexandra, Vic. 10am-4pm

For further information, event publicity or to join our email list, contact

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## **DATES TO REMEMBER**

- Entries to be received by Friday July 8th close of business.
- Wear a Beanie Day, Friday July 22nd gold coin donation.
- Official Opening Saturday July 23rd at 9.45am Winners congratulated & everyone welcome to attend. Alexandra Shire Hall.
- Beanie Festival Sat 23rd & Sun 24th July 10-4pm. Clever, creative beanies.
- Market & Fibre Festival Sat 23rd & Sun 24th 10-4pm stalls featuring fibre artists, yarn, handmade craft, wool & yummy treats.
- Online Auction
   32auctions.com/beanie2022
   Tue 19th-Sun 24th July ending at 3pm.
- Collection of Beanies Sunday July 24th 4-6pm.



## Entry Form - Murrindindi Beanie Festival Victoria July 23rd - 24th 2022

All Entries to be received by Friday 8th July.

Please send entries to MBFFV 16 Pendelbury St, Alexandra Vic 3714 Australia or **drop off** to \*Sports Power, 76 Grant St, Alexandra or \*13 A'Beckett St, Yea.

Item No Office Use Only	Category  Beautiful Beanies (BB) Men's, Women's, Child's  Murrindindi Madness -Theme 'Beetles, Bugs & Butterflies'.  Fibre Art (FA)  Winter Warmers (no beanies)  Beanie Kids Recycled Creatns	Section Open Beginner U12yrs 13-17yrs	Item Description  Title, Materials, Method (Knit/crochet/felt etc)	Donated Entry (please tick) Free Entry	Not For Sale NFS \$5 fee per item en- tered

Please tick the above boxes where applicable and please note that beanies/items not donated (NFS) will incur a **\$5 fee per item**, all beanies/items donated will be sold with proceeds going to local charities.

Ioriginal and I agr	hereby certify ree by the conditions of entry as s	that the above entries are my $\square$ (child's $\square$ ) own handmade et out by the Murrindindi Beanie & Fibre Festival Victoria.
Name:		Juniors Age:
Address:		Postcode:
Phone:	Mob:	Signature:
Email:		

Please note that all entry forms are to accompany Beanies and must include completed attached swing tags that state the title of work, materials, method used and town of origin.

Please note that all purchased & NFS beanies/items can be collected on Sunday 24th 4pm-6pm from the festival or will be returned as soon as practical, providing a self-addressed envelope of correct size and weight has been provided upon entry.

# CATEGORIES

Junior, beginner & open sections are included in every category.

#### **BEAUTIFUL BEANIES**

Featuring the art of knitting or crochet while keeping the beanie tradition alive. This category includes traditional, vintage, embellished, felted

or character beanies in Men's, Women's or Children's sizes.

### **MURRINDINDI MADNESS BEANIE** is

designed to let your creative juices run wild.

Dream up your most fantastic masterpiece in any medium and be wearable. Keep in mind this year's theme is 'Beetles, Bugs & Butterflies' & the more creative or outlandish in this category the better.

#### FIBRE ART

As the title suggests, includes but is not limited to items made from hand dyed, hand spun wool, alpaca, possum fibres etc. Tops/rovings/hanks/skeins. Knitted, crocheted, woven, felted hats, &/or clothing of all types, macrame, basketry. cotton, linen, silk other fabric. Handmade gifts or toys.

**WINTER WARMERS** any other worn article designed to keep you warm during winter. Knitted, crocheted or felted, excluding beanies. Made from wool or yarn.

#### **BEANIE KIDS RECYCLED CREATIONS** is

a fabulous creation that may include natural fibres, fabric, timber, metal or more. Beanies of any size, do not have to be wearable, just create the illusion of wear ability. **Open to all mediums & open for kids (U14) to enter.** Free entry & beanies for display only. Beanies may feature this year's theme 'Beetles, Bugs & Butterflies'.